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Please find attached hereto the following documents for the above-identified application:

1) Request for Reconsideration

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### REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2004, please reconsider the above identified application in view of the following remarks.

A listing of the claims begins on page 2 of this paper for the convenience of the Examiner. No amendments are being made by this listing.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.